

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

OPERATIONS OF THE NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

Situation of Tobacco at Richmond and other Important Centres—Quotations of the New York and Liverpool Cotton Markets—Provisions and Grain.

New York, August 10.—Money closed at 2 per cent., the highest rate; lowest, 1½%. Exchange closed steady; posted rates, \$4½¢ for sixty days and 48½¢ for demand; actual rates, \$3½¢-\$4¢ for sixty day bills and 48½¢ for demand. Government bonds closed quiet; currency, \$8, 110 bid; 4¢, coupon, 116½ bid; 4½¢, no, 100½ bid.

The stocks were weak this morning. Prices opened lower and throughout the morning were for the most of the day further down and under a selling of Union Pacific which was again attacked by the bears this morning. The trading of the foremost, however, was very light. At midday values were ½ to 1½ per cent. lower. The sales for the morning amounted to only 75,000 shares. The most of the selling of Union Pacific was by a Chicago house. London sold, St. Paul to a small extent this morning. Chicago Gas was weak on the confirmation of the report that the Standard Oil company was interested in the economic arrangement. There was very little doing after 12 o'clock and no feature of interest was developed. Prices continued weak to the close, when they were ½ to 2% lower, the latter in Union Pacific. Sales, 135,907 shares.

	Aug.	
Tenn. 4's.....	105 Del. and Hudson	125
do. 5%	102 D. L. & W.	135
do. 5%	104 Erie	15
Va. 5's.....	105 N. Y. C.	105
do. coupon.....	105 Lake Shore	105
Illino. 5's.....	105 Lake E. & W.	15
Alabama—Class A 111	do. pref.	55
Alabama—Class B 1004	Northwestern	105
Alabama—Class C 102	do. pref.	105
Louisiana.....	105 Ohio	105
Mississippi.....	105 O. & M.	105
N. J. 5's.....	105 Quick Silver	105
S. U. Browns.....	105 Reading	105
W. U. Telegraph.....	105 Rock Island	71½
Adams Express.....	105 Omaha	24
American Express.....	105 St. Paul	105
U. S. F. & G. 5's.....	105 St. Paul	105
Wash. Fargo.....	105 St. Paul, do. pref.	125
C. C. U. & I. 5's.....	105 N. & C.	82
N. Y. 5's.....	105 M. L. S.	70
S. J. C. 5's.....	105 Wabash	10
Ill. Central 5's.....	105 No. 1 white	25½
Ill. Central 5's.....	105 No. 2 red	16
Union Pacific 5's.....	105 Man.	104½
Missouri Pacific 5's.....	105 O. N.	65
Railroad 5's.....	105 B. & W. P.	105½
A. & T. 5's.....	105 N. & W. pref.	105
Gas. Co. 5's.....	105 St. Louis	105
Gas. Co. 5's.....	105 St. Paul, do. pref.	44
Gas. Co. 5's.....	105 St. M. & O.	80
C. & O. 5's.....	105	80

RICHMOND STOCK MARKET.

RICHMOND, Va., August 10, 1891.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES. *Bid. Asked.*

	U. S. 4's, R. & O.	100
U. S. 4's, R. & C. 1207	116	

STATE SECURITIES.

	North Carolina 4's C. 1919	97½
North Carolina 6's C. 1919	125	
Virginia 6's, consols. C. 1905	93	
Virginia 8-15 Ten-Pence C. 1919	25	
Virginia 8's new, C. & E. 1922	64½	
Virginia consol coupons, fundable	31½	
Virginia consol coupons, non-fundable	30	

CITY SECURITIES.

	Richmond City 5's, R. 1901-1910	134
Richmond City 6's, R. 1904-1910	117	
Richmond City 5's, R. 1890-1896	100	101
Richmond City 5's, R. 1921 and later	103	
Richmond City 5's, R. 1931	98	

RAILROAD STOCKS.

	A. & C. 1st 7's, R. 1907	117
A. & C. 2d 7's, R. 1900	102	103
Georgia Pacific 1st 6's, R. O. 1922	100	
Georgia Pacific consolidated 5's	100	
B. & O. 5's.....	60	
Pennsy. class A 5's, R. G. 1926 103	20	
Pennsy. class B, S. & R. C. 1926 104	103	
Beth. & Mich. 1st 6's, R. 1921	103	
Wash. & Mich. 1st 6's, R. 1921	103	
West. N. C. 1st 6's, C. 1914	97	
Gas. Co. 5's.....	97	

RAILROAD STOCKS.

Rich. Fred. & Pot. div. obligtn. 110 112

INSURANCE COMPANIES.

Virginia Fire and Marine..... 87 87½

GRAIN AND COTTON EXCHANGE.

RICHMOND, Va., August 10, 1891.

OFFERINGS.

Wheat—8,311 bushels.

Corn—3,414 bushels.

Oats—3,056 bushels.

Milk oil—10 tons.

SALES.

Wheat—1,472 bushels.

Corn—1,114 bushels.

Oats—46 bushels.

QUOTATIONS.

Wheat—Lomberry, 90¢ to \$1; mixed, 90¢ to 95¢; shorthberry, 85¢ to 90¢; No. 2 red, 90¢ to 95¢.

Corn—White, prime Virginia, 70¢ to 75¢; No. 2 white, 70¢; No. 2 mixed, 65¢ to 68¢.

Oats—No. 2, 30¢ to 35¢; No. 3, 35¢ to 36¢; No. 4, 30¢; winter (for seed), 45¢, to 48¢.

Linen—70¢ to 80¢.

Live Stock Market.

RICHMOND, Va., August 10, 1891.

Receipts—Cattle, 200; sheep and lambs, 760-1029, 400.

Sales—Cattle, 200; sheep and lambs, 650;

Pork—Cattle, best, 4 to 4½¢ gross; medium to good, 3½ to 3¾¢ gross; common to fair, 2½ to 3¢ gross.

Pork—2½ to 3¢ to 3½¢ gross.

Sheep—45¢ to 46¢ gross.

Lambs—65¢ to 68¢ gross.

Hogs—50¢ to 75¢ net.

TOBACCO EXCHANGE.

RICHMOND, Va., August 10.—No Offerings of tobacco on auction on "Change Monday," August 10, 1891.

Price lists reported to the secretary of the Richmond Tobacco Trade to-day. Monday, August 10, 1891. Wrappers, 1 hogsheads; pipes, 15 hogsheads smokers, 11 hogsheads; dark leaf, 10 hogsheads. Total, 28 hogsheads.

Office of the tobacco inspector reports to-day, Monday, August 10, 1891. Inspections, bright 186 hogsheads; dark 101 hogsheads; Western, 4 hogsheads. Re-inspections, bright 1 hogsheads; dark, 3 hogsheads.

Farmers' Wilson's Shockoe, Vaughan's, Old Dominion, Neal's, Davenport's, Planter's and Merchant's Shockoe and Seabrook's, tobacco warehouses report to-day, Monday, August 10, 1891. Receipts, 50 packages; deliveries, 18 packages.

The wife of our Mr. E. K. Victor, of a son, on Saturday night last. We congratulate the firm of E. K. Victor & Co., upon the accession of the new member of the firm, and wish them many happy returns.

Our Mr. John Wing, of M. T. Smith & Co., was taken sick Saturday last with bilious fever. We are glad to say he is reported better to-day.

Messrs. Davis & Gregory will have a good sale of new tobacco to-morrow. On Wednesday, 12th instant, they will have a large and attractive sale at Planters' Warehouse.

Registered at the Tobacco Exchange to-day, Monday, August 10th, 1891. A. H. Smoot, Detham, N. C.

Our Colonel Tom Scott left for Baltimore today. A leading belle is the reported attraction there.

New York.

New York, August 10.—Messrs. Hubbard, Price & Co. in their cotton circular to-night say: "The failure of the American market to respond to the sharp advances of Saturday caused realizing sales, and Liverpool closes barely steady, at 2 points decline. Our market declined until noon, when the publication of the Southern report brought about a sharp break and the market closed barely steady" at the lowest point of the day."

Prices closed steady. Receipts for the day at the ports estimated at 1,500 bales, against 1,100 last week and 1,600 last year. The Southern market was at 2 points decline in quotations: middling uplands, 8½¢; sales, 203 bales. There has been sold the past week, and not before reported 639 bales for spinning. Transactions in futures, 36,000 bales. August, 7,7667.78; September, 7,70.

November, 8,128.15; December, 8,228.24; January, 8,316.84; February, 8,439.34; March, 8,508.54; April, 8,639.84; May, 8,738.75; June, 8,828.85.

In Liverpool—Spot cotton firm; middling uplands, 4½-5d. Futures steady as follows: August, September, 4,29.64; September-October, 4,34.64; November, 4,38.64.

Flour—Flour closed quiet and unchanged. Southern flour dull; trade and family extras, \$4.40¢-\$5.10.

Wheat—Wheat options were moderately active and strong to-day. There was only a little trading on the account of foreigners, but prices went steadily up to the close, when they were 1½ to 2¢ higher.

Spots—Spot cotton firm; middling uplands, 4½-5d. Futures steady as follows:

August, 4,29.64; September, 4,34.64; October, 4,38.64.

Corn—Corn options were strong on a fair amount of business, and closed 1½ to 2¢ higher. Spot lots closed quiet, No. 2, mixed, 2½¢; No. 3, mixed, 2½¢; No. 4, 2½¢.

Oats—Oats options were dull and firm, and closed 3½¢ higher. Spot lots closed 2½¢ to higher. Sales, No. 1 white, 50¢; No. 2 47½¢.

Pork—Pork quiet and easy; new meat, 11½¢.

Lard—Lard closed quiet and steady; September, 6,156.85.

Sugar—Sugar quiet and firm; muscovado 80 degrees test, 3¢; centrifugal 96 degrees test, 8¢; refined, 4½¢; granulated, 4½¢-\$4.25¢; cubes, 4½¢; mould, A, 4½¢; confectioners, A, 4½¢.

Coffee—Spot lots coffee quiet; Rio cargoes

100¢; Santos 90¢; Rio de Janeiro 80¢.

Tea—Tea quiet and firm; Ceylon 80¢; Darjeeling 80¢.

Opium—Opium quiet and firm; 100¢.

Spices—Spices quiet and firm; cinnamon 100¢; nutmeg 100¢; mace 100¢.

Pepper—Pepper quiet and firm; long pepper 100¢; black pepper 100¢.

Chili—Chili quiet and firm; 100¢.

Mustard—Mustard quiet and firm; 100¢.

Onions—Onions quiet and firm; 100¢.

Garlic—Garlic quiet and firm; 100¢.

Mustard seeds—Mustard seeds quiet and firm; 100¢.

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